

AMENDMENTS

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please delete the original Sequence Listing (at pages 107-182) and insert the attached Sequence Listing (at pages 107-173) into the application beginning on a separate page immediately following page 106, and renumber the remaining pages accordingly.

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REMARKS

Applicants have submitted the above amendments for entry in the above-identified application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821 and 1.115.

In a Notice to Comply attached to a Notice to File Missing Parts dated March 11, 1998, the Examiner required Applicants to submit a computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing and a statement indicating that the computer readable copy and paper copy of the Sequence Listing are identical, which actions are required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821. Accordingly, Applicants are submitting herewith a Response to the Notice to Comply, enclosing a substitute paper copy and an initial computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing, along with a Verification Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f), stating that these copies are identical. The originally-filed Sequence Listing has been deleted and a substitute Sequence Listing, an additional paper copy of which is attached hereto, has been inserted into the application immediately prior to the claims by means of the